

**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Brian Anderton, et al.  
Serial No. : 10/562,951  
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Examiner : David J. Steadman  
Group Art Unit : 1656  
Entitled : "Screening Methods"

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97**

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants are submitting herewith a Form PTO/SB/08a EFS-WEB and a copy of the references listed thereon.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d). Specifically, this IDS is being filed after the mailing date of a final action under 37 C.F.R. §1.113, but before the payment of an issue fee. Each item of information contained in the instant IDS was first cited in an Official Action issued connection with the corresponding Japanese application. The fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) is enclosed.

This submission is not an admission that the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08a EFS-WEB constitute prior art against the claims of this application.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to confirm receipt and consideration of the cited references by initialing and returning a copy of the attached Form PTO/SB/08a EFS-WEB in accordance with MPEP §609.

In the event that any additional fee is required in connection with this submission and not enclosed, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee to the account of the undersigned attorneys, Account No. 04-1406.

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Enclosures - 1 Form PTO/SB/08a EFS-WEB  
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